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NOTICE OF BILL RETURNED TO RULES COMMITTEE

March 9, 2016

Mr. Speaker:

The Judiciary Committee has returned **H.B. 470**, CRITERIA FOR DETERMINATION OF ALIMONY, by Representative B. Daw, to the Rules Committee without recommendation with the following amendments:

1. *Page 5, Lines 142 through 148:*

142 (j) Alimony may not be ordered for a duration longer than the number of years that
the
143 marriage existed unless, at any time prior to termination of alimony, the court finds
extenuating
144 circumstances that justify the payment of alimony for a longer period of time[-], except
that {
145 (i) expenses included in the alimony award for the benefit of both the child and
146 recipient spouse may continue until the last child reaches the age of 18; and
147 (ii) the court shall order that expenses awarded for the benefit of a specific
child shall end on the day that child
148 {turns 18} becomes emancipated .

2. *Page 5, Line 149 through Page 6, Line 152:*

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149 (9) Unless a decree of divorce specifically provides otherwise, any order of the court
150 that a party pay alimony to a former spouse automatically terminates upon the remarriage
 or
151 death of that former spouse {+} . {+} {~~, except that expenses awarded for the~~
 benefit of a specific child
152 may not end upon the remarriage of the former spouse.} However, if the
 remarriage is annulled

3. *Page 6, Lines 155 through 158:*

155 (10) Any order of the court that a party pay alimony to a former spouse terminates
156 upon establishment by the party paying alimony that the former spouse is cohabitating
 with
157 another person {+} . {+} {~~, except that expenses awarded for the benefit of a~~
 specific child may not
158 terminate.}

Respectfully,

LaVar Christensen
Committee Chair

Voting: --

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